#### MARINE AFFAIRS.

FOR EUROPE.

The Conard mail steamer Asia, Capt. Lott, left Sesterday for Liverpool, with 55 passengers and \$504,117 in specie. Among the passengers are the Right Rev. Bishop De Lancey of Western New-York, the Rev. Thomas Graves of England, Sir Allan McNab of Canada, the Rev. A. McNab, D. D., of Canada West, and Stephen S. Remak, esq., U. S. Consul at Trieste. The screw steamer Glasgow also sailed for Glasgow, with 38 cabin and 183 steerage passengers. Among her passengers are the Rev. J. H. Orbeson and wife, Missionary to India, and the Rev. J. W. Parsons, Missionary to Constantinople.

A SINGULAR AFFAIR.

<sup>3</sup> Capt. Welch, of the schooner Mary Alice, arrived on Wednesday morning from Ponce, P. R., informs us of the following singular occurrence: About Oct. I the Spanishbrig Consuelo, for Ponce, with a cargo of flour, wine, &c., foundered and went down off the Dead Man's Chest, an island only nine miles from the port of electination. Her captain and crew had barely time

ough to save themselves in the boats. But singular Trelate, the third day after her going down, opposite To the harbor of Ponce, a mast began gradually to rise above the water, and the brig actually worked herself up on a reef, so as to save part of her cargo and all her sails and rigging. The Spanish authorities have arrested the whole crew, until an investigation can be had, and sent them to St. John's.

LOSS OF THE SCHE, CASTILLO OF DIGEY, N. S. Capt. Anderson, of the above schooner, came as passenger in the brig Alma, which arrived here on Wednesday from Nassan, N. P. He reports that on the 17th Oct. while on his passage from Jeremie for Boston, with a cargo of log wood and coffee, during a heavy gale, his schooner went ashere on Cat Island, an became a total loss. The officers and crew were saved. A small part of her materials with about 100 bags of offee and cocoa were taken from her. Capt. A. also reports that on the same night that he went ashore, he saw a bark close by, and has no doubt that she was stranded also. He supposes the back was the Eleuthera, from the fact that the bodies of a man and woman were found on that shore the following day, and apparently just drowned. The bodies had the appearance of being those of wealthy passengers, as there was found upon them a great deal of valuable jewelry. About the same time a vessel unknown went ashor-

STRUCK BY A WHALE. Brig Caura arrived yesterday, reports that during a heavy equal from S. S. W., Nov. 9, ran into and killed a large sperm whale, who came near breaking our upper rail with histail.

Bark Mendi, arrived from Gambia, W. C. A., ports having sailed in company with brig Anglo-baxon of Boston, for do., and supplied them with our chief officer to navigate her home, they having jost all hands ("all officers" probably) by fever, except the Captain's clerk.

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A SEA MOSSTER.

The Captain of a Dutch bark informs a newspaper that, while sailing in the South Atlantic Osean on the 29th of June last, a frightful sea monater, 39 feet long and from 25 to 39 feet round, came with such force against the ship as to cause her to tremble all over. It kept up with the vessel for nine days, but was at length got rid of by firing "more than 100 muskets," and "thrusting a harpoon and a long iron bar" into his body.

[Boston Traveler.] Boston Traveler.

The United States frigate Sabine, Commodore Shubrick, sailed from Bermuda, after repairing, on the

#### FIRES.

FIRE IN VESTRY STREET-AN AGED MAN BURNED

Yesterday morning about 10 o'clock a fire was discivered in the attic of the dwelling house No. 76 Vestry street, the fire originating in a bed-room occupied by John Donchue and family. The firemen were early on the ground, and soon extinguished the flames, after which they made search for an old man named Edward Noonan, who, it was rumored, was in the room when the fire was discovered. The report proved true, and the body of the old man was found in one carrier of the anartment, burned almost to a crisp, and corner of the apartment, burned almost to a crisp, and in such a condition as to render recognition impossi-ble. The remains of deceased were taken to the Fifth Precinct Station-House and Coroner Hills notified to

Precinct Station-House and Coroner Hills notified to hold an inquest thereon.

Nooman was upwards of 60 years of age, and had been bearding with Mr. Denoine since June last. The origin of the fire is unknown but it is supposed to have been caused by the deceased throwing a lighted match upon the floor after lighting his pipe.

Mr. Donohue's furniture was damaged to the amount of \$100. Other tenants in the house had their furniture more or less damaged by water. The building owned by Mr. Miller is damaged to the extent of \$300, and is insured.

FIRE IN ELIZABTH STREET-TWO PERSONS BADLY

in every direction, set fire to the farmitare, damaging it to the amount of \$100. Mr. Moran and his wife were severely burned about the hands and face in at-

#### tempting to extinguish the flames. To the Editor of The N. Y. Tribune.

Sin: In your account of the late fire in William street, your Reporter states that the porter was ordered by Mr. Nietsch to fill a bottle of sweet nitre, and to take the lighted candle to do the same. He was not ordered by him to take a Hight at all, but merely to fill the bottle, which he always did, and used a lantern, the only light used in the establishment heald gos. By publishing the above you will oblige,

Yours, respectfully, A. NIETSCH, Jr., No. 197 William street.

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Mozart's opera of Le Nozze di Figure drew a good house. The genius of Mozart we have never held to be comic, and accordingly a comic plot does not make his music so. It bears his customary details of the orcheetra and peculiarities of phraseology. The part of Susannah was nicely acted by Mile, Piccolomini; indeed, she is quite at home in the soubrette or chambermaid deliniation, so far as acting simply is concerned. The Figure of Mr. Formes was excellent, and the capital applause of the evening was excited by him. He was memorably good in the noble air Non più andrai-so fresh, though so venerable. That was encored, and at the repetition, was given in German by the singer. A wonderful idea-half-and-half, after a new fashion. Mad. Ghioni sang smoothlythe character not demanding any particular exhibition of earnestness. Mad, von Berkel, usually so spicy and saucy in German comedy, appeared ill at ease as Cherubino. The Count Almaviva by M. Floreza was a stiff and unsatisfactory performance. The other characters do not amount to much.

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The reception of the opera was not brilliant; indeed salian comic operas almost always fail to interest our nerican audiences. They should, however, be given ecosionally to relieve the dagger and poison intensities of the serious ones. Whether it be worth while to present an opera of the elegance of Le Nozze twice only, of course the manager is the best judge. But it seems to us that the study required for it, merits a longer run than the continuity of two whole nights.

MADANE GAZZANIGA'S BENEFIT ... Maiame GAZZAniga, the eminent operatic tragedienne and estimable lady, takes a benefit at the Academy, to-morrow night. "Robert le Diable" is the opera, herself, Madame Laborde and Fermes in the cast. Mile. Piccolomini has kindly volunteered her services, and will appear at a Matinie on Saturday, when "Il Trovatore" will be given for the last time-purchasers of reserved seats for Friday night receiving a ticket for the Matinec.

as Wm. Kinney, was arrested yesterday by the Harbor ing and found that the intruder had made his way up Police on a requisition from the Governor of New-Jersey upon Gov. King of New-York. Kinney stands tewed across the river.

#### CITY ITEMS.

John G. Saze, esq., will read his popular poem on Love in all its Phases," before the Mercantile Li- trate at the Essex Market Police Court. brary Association, at Clinton Hall, Astor place, on Thursday evening.

Dr. Ree will Lecture this evening at Niblo's before Sir John Franklin's party. Dr. R. was the leader of several expeditions to the Arctic regions, has spent two Winter seasons almost without fuel among the Esquimaux, traversed over 6,000 miles of land on snow-shoes, and is therefore competent to speak from his own experience on this extremely interesting sub-

Bunton's THEATER, Broadway .- This splendid house will be opened on Saturday night for the Winter season, under the management of Mr. John Moore, formerly stage-manager), and Mr. Wayne Olwine. The fine American comedy of "Extremes" will be given, in which Peter Ritchings, a great favorite at the old Park, and his talented daughter will appear. They will be supported by a first-class company, comprising some of the best and most popular artists to be binined. The enterprise will doubtless be worthy of the hearty support of the public.

AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL AND STATISTICAL SO-CIETY.-An address, by John Rae, M. D., on Arctic Explorations, life and customs of the E-quimaux, illustrated by suitable maps, with an exhibition of the recovered relies of the late Sir John Franklin's party, will be delivered at Niblo's, on Thursday, at 8 o'clock

HIAWATHA SET TO MUSIC. - Mr. Robert Stoepel, well known to us as a composer, as well as a chef d'orchestre, has just put the finishing touch to a musical version of Longiellow's famous poem, "Hiawatha." It will be first produced, in the course of the winter, at Boston, with a strong orchestral force, Mrs. Stoepel (nie Heron) reciting portions of the poem between the

Some Thanksgiving pies, sent to this office from the establishment of Mrs. Hopkins, No. 90 Third avenue, are about the finest material for "internal improvement" that one can desire,

THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN .- This excellent family paper is taking the right course to increase its circulatior. It is doing what every sensible business man must do in this age of newspaper reading-it is advertising. The world depends upon advertisements for information. How can the reading country gentleman, who takes a commercial, or political, or religious paper, know of the existence of such a paper as that entitled the "Country Gentleman," except he sees it advertised? He may desire just such a paper, so exactly adapted to his needs as a farmer, gardener, fruit. grower or improver of earth's surface, and yet not know of its existence, except by seeing it advertised. The paper itself only needs to be seen to insure a large

ETHIOPIAN NOVELTY.-Wood's Minstrels have got up a series of Panoramas and Tableaux which faithfully represent some of the most interesting features of Southern life.

BELL'S HEAD.-The cattle market turned out worse even than was anticipated on Tuesday. Not that such as were fit for beef, or even in tolerably decent order to kill, were so very low, but the market for the portion, and a pretty large one it is, of mean, coarse, oxen, stags, bulls, steers, old cows, thin steers, and such stuff as a farmer would be ashamed to keep, and could not well keep alive through the winter, was as dull as could be easily imagined. A great many cattle were sold at prices, only equivalent to 5 26c. F fb for th meat, and not a few were left over unsold: the supply being too large for the demand. The supply of good beeves is too small, and prices equal to 9c. P It for the beef.

THE SCHOOL OF DESIGN FOR WOMEN.-The School of Design for Women is now, by the generosity of Peter Cooper, quartered in a large and elegant suite of apartments in the Cooper Institute. Mr. T. Addison Richards, the well-known artist and author, has been placed at its head, and it already counts a largely increased number of pupils. Although the primary object of the school is the Education of Women as designers for art-manufactures and book illustrations, as engravers on wood, teachers, artists and workers in various branches of industrial art, the ample accom-About 11 o'clock on Thesday might, a fluid lamp exploded in the honse of Mr. Moran, No. 217 Elizabeth street, and the burnung material being scattered about may wish to study drawing or painting merely as an | \$ accomplishment.

The rooms are open all day through the week, and Mr. Richards is always in attendance from 9 until 12 o'clock. In the morning an hour is spent in drawing some one of the pupils, and on Friday Mr. Richards gives a lecture on drawing. At 10 o'clock the pupils catter themselves through the many rooms of the suite. Mr. Richards sees that they are all provided with work, and gives them advice in its performance. Of course, a great many come, and, after long study, go away without having accomplished much; but many teachers have been educated at the School, and a number of ladies now support themselves by

In the Wood Engraving department there are, beside eginners, fourteen who are ready to respond to orders for Engravings. Among them we saw one who entered the school only last May. Some of these young women earn nearly \$500 a year. Lately there have been but few accessions to this class, for which there is plenty of work. Painting has but just been introtroduced. One of the pupils is at present employed in drawing the illustrations of a medical work.

TOY VICTIM OF A HIGHWAY ROBERT REFUSES TO MAKE COMPLAIST, -At a late hour on Tuesday night a German, named Anton Adel, while passing up Avenue A, between Eighth and Ninth streets, on his way home, was attacked by three men, who knocked him down, and after brutally beating him about the head and face, robbed him of \$8 75. The thieves made a desperate effort to secure his gold watch and chain, but were unsuccessful. The same night, shortly after the above occurrence, a policeman of the Seventeenth Precinct arrested one Martin Petrie, whom Adel positively identified as the leader of the trio of highwaymen who attacked and robbed him. Petrie was locked up for the remainder of the night, and was yesterday morning taken to the Essex Market Police Court, where Adel refused to make complaint against the prisoner, but would not give a reason for so doing. Under the circumstances the Magistrate had no other alternative than to discharge the accused, which he

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXHIBITION .- Mr. Haskett, Chairman of the Commissioners has directed the Doorkeepers to allow no boys, unless accompanied by their parents or teachers to enter the exhibition. This has become necessary an account of the noise.

CAPTURE OF BURGLARS. - About 21 o'clock yesterday morning, the porter in the tailoring establishment of Mr. George W. Farnham, No. 518 Broadway, was awakened by some one groping about his sleeping room. In an instant the porter jumped out of bed. and running to the window gave an alarm which brought Officers Senior and Staggs of the Fourteenth As Allegen Pugitive .- A man, giving his name Precinct, to the spot. The officers searched the buildstairs and left the building by the scuttle. The scuttle of No. 522 being found open, the officers entered that building and renewed their search, which resulted in

supposed that the burglar effected bisentrance through the scuttle which appeared to have been forced. The accused was locked up for examination by the magis-

The same right Officer Goodrich of the Eighth Pre-cinct, while patrolling his beat, discovered a fellow in the act of burglariously entering the unoccupied house, No. 1 Ludlow place, and forthwith took him late custhe American Geographical and Statistical Society, on | tody. The prisoner gave his name as H. N. Wright, his experience in the Arctic regions, and proposes to and was taken to the Jefferson Market Police Court exhibit to the public some of the recovered relics after | and committed to prison in default of \$500 ball. In possession of Wright was found a quantity of keys.

REAL ESTATE.-The following sales were made yesterday at the Merchants' Exchange by A. J. the 110,1x70 feet, the and let N. S. 41et et., 50 ft. W. 7th av., 20x 90 3... acceptable for W. S. 3d-av., (Br.), 25 ft. S. 20th at. I bet N. S. 49th et., adjoining, 2\*x1055.
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A CHILD SUFFOCATED,—Coroner Perry held an inquest on Wednesday at No. 119 Law's street, upon the body of a child two years of age, named John J. Kennedy, who was found dead in bed, having been suffocated between the bed-celling. The Jury rendered a verdict of "death from sufficients."

THE METALLIC TABLET STROP-Invented by One Sathers, A. D. 1816—This, the genoine article, has never been equated for producing the keetest results edge to a rater. Can be obtained of the subscribers and sole manufacturers, J. & S. Sathers, No. 7 Astor House.

GAS-GAS-GAS FIXTURES.-A large assort-Then't of beautiful and entirely new designs will be found at our great Manufacturing Depot, No. 376 Broadway. The trade supplied at the usual terms.

ARCHER, WARNER & CO.

QUERU'S COD LIVER OIL JELLY-approved by the New York Academy of Medicine—possesses all the virtues of pure Cod Liver Oil, and is taken without unpleasant taste. Physicians unsequainted with it are requested to call at his office and investigate its mornia. Office No. 135 4th at his office and investigate its mornia.

STARTLING TRUTHS .- What fact is plainer than that white paper, made of colored rare, and blee held by chemicals, and paper printed open, produces piles if used in the water closet? Mr. J. C. Gayritty, assisted by several eminent medical gentlemen, has succeeded in making a pure Maxilla Payer, for the water-closet, which is so skillfully and bountfolly medicated that it cure piles, and prevents the healthy from contrating that fearful disease. The excellence of this paper is obvious to the meanest intelligence, and we are sure that all persons who regard the possession of health or that of its twin sister, elevaliness, as of any importance, will use it systematically. It is especially adapted to persons of sedentary habits. It is selling the met of two dot packages a year. Soid by druggiest all over the United States. Wholicaled sud retailed at the disnovered a Deptot, No. 41 Annet. Look at the secondary of the thing—50 sheets for 50 cents, 1,000 for \$1. Exp health has J. C. Gayritty water-marked in it.

#### BROOKLYN ITEMS.

George W. Curtis delivers his lecture on "Sir Philip Sydney, or the Gentleman," this evening at the New Chapel, corner of Clinton and Congress streets,

OFFER IN BROOKLYN TO-SIGHT .- The opera of

Kings County Circuit Court yesterday, an action brought by the Rev. David J. Patterson against the balance due on salary, was tried. It appeared that Mr. Patterson took charge of the congregation in 1848, at a salary of \$600 a year. In 1852 it was raised to \$800 a year, and he had been paid at that rate until August, 1857. At that time the Church was heavily involved in debt, on account of improvements in the building, or the erection of another edifice, and the trustees concluded to save further expense by distrustees concluded to save further expense by dis-missing the pastor. This they did by resolution, at the same time regretting the necessity for pursuing such a course. Mr. Patterson left the congregation, and established himself in the Brocklyn Institute, to which place many of his former flock accompanied him. He has held forth at this place since that time. \$800 a year for the last six months he was with them, on the ground as alleged, that the services were not worth that sup-that the Church was not incorpe worth that sur-that the Charles was not managed rated, and therefore, not liable, and that the plaintiff had been overpaid to the amount of \$1,200. The case was given to the Jury about noon, who shortly re-turned with a verdiet of \$382 68, in favor of the plaintiff, the amount claimed

ATTEMET TO ASSASSINATE A POLICEMAN. - At a late hour on Tuesday pight, Officer Lyons of the Ninth Ward Police observed three men on Troop avenue, between Myrtle and Flushing avenues, and from their action took them to be thieves. The officer came nearly up to them unperceived, and saw that they were lisputing about the division of some meney which one of them held in a bag or stocking. Thinking they might have robbed a farmer, or committed a burglary, the officer took held of one of the men who was sitting on a stone. The other two rescued the prisoner, and threw the efficer down. On getting up, one of them fired a pistol, the ball of which perforated the officer's cap, taking with it some hairs. The fellows then made their escape. The officer thought navisable not to follow them further, as the neighborhood is thinly populated. He however fired his pistol at them, but

NEW COUNTERFEITS .- Counterfeit bills of the denomination of \$10, purporting to be issues of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Middletown Point, N. J., were circulated about the city yesterday.

THE NEW FERRY LEASE.—It is stated that the Commissioners of the New York Sinking Fund will require a provision to be inserted in the new ferry lease to the Peck slip and Grand street ferries, that the purchasers of the leases shall have a steamengine attached to their beats, for the purpose of extinguishing fires on the river sides, when called upon by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Departments. For this service, they will receive a compensation of \$20 per hour. The lease is to be seld on the 20th of December.

A TROPHY .- Mr. A. F. Kraik of Williamsburgh, a few days since returned from a bunt in the interior of the State, and brought with him two fine bears, which weigh some two hundred pounds each.

ESCAPE OF PRISONERS.—Yesterday morning two prisoners, while being conveyed from the Sixth Precinct Sixthen-House to the Fedicantiary, attempted to make their recape, and one of them who was hand uffed succeeded. He was pursued but was not taken. He was entenced for an assault and batte-BURGLARIES .- The house of Mr. Wm. H. Campbell,

BURGLERIES.—The house of Mr. Wm. H. Campbell, the County Clerk, stimuted on the counter of Nostrandavenie and Wychold street, was foliologisty entered on Thursday night and robbed of silver-ware worth over \$250. The follows tanasched every from in the house and sat down in the duling-room, where they set a hearty meal, managing to get all the best things in the closuit. They had gathered up some \$400 worth of strickes in addition to the above, which they left hundled up in the parior. It is likely they heard a noise, and so made their way off in time. They took the goods, including a first of butter, away in a wagon.

wagon. The house of Mr. Amos Hatfield, on the next corner, was also entered and robbed of \$200 worth of articles, mainly ladies size dresses. Several other burglaries were committed the same hight, but the amounts stolen were small.

CORONER'S INQUEST .- Coroner Redding held an injust yesterday upon the body of Edward Quinn, who was found drowned at the foot of Pacific street, on Tuesday night, Quinn left his home on the corner of Warren and Columbus streets, some two weeks since, and it is supposed fell overboard accidentally and was drowned. A verdict in accordance was rendered. The deceased leaves a family.

Stoles Property .- Officers Raynor and Frost charged with grand larcery, and was taken to Jersey building and renewed their search, which resulted in the discovery of the burglar, who was stowed away in a dark room. He gave his name as John Wilson, and some trouble was anticipated, but the about, and some trouble was anticipated, but the princer was placed in one of the police boats and two decrees the river.

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In your report, published this meruing, you say a body of said in the legioning, makes unjust comparisons between two medians looking for public favor and support.

Accomber 24, 1958 JOSEPH E. HOLMES.

#### NEW→JERSEY ITEMS.

PROBABLE SUICIDE OF AN UNKNOWN MAN,-Yesterday morning, a well-dressed man, about 30 years of age, was found dead in his room at the American Hotel in Montgomery street. He came there about 5 b'clock the evening previous, and registered his social name as Henry Anson, of England, and retired to his slow an allow an arrest to his slow an arrest to his slow an arrest to his slow and the sl room at an early hour. Nothing further was heard SUPERIOR COURT-Nov. 24-Before Judge PIERREPORT. from him, and in the morning he was found lying on the floor, life having been extinct for some time. Two vials were found under the pillow, one marked laudanum, and the other, potassium, from which it is inferred that he destroyed his life. His linen was marked Dickinson, and there were also letters found, from which it is supposed that the latter is his right name. Justice Bedford will hold an inquest to-day. It is believed that deceased had friends in New-York.

INCENDIARY FIRE IN RAHWAY .-- Another fire curred at Rahway on Thorsday night last, the work of an in-indiary. Mr. W. H. Flatt, carriage manufacturer, whose indiary, may the depot, suspecting that an attempt would

### LAW INTELLIGENCE.

THE LATE BENJ. F. BUTLER.

The decease of the Hon. Benjamin F. Butler was appropriately noticed in the several Courts yesterday. In the Supreme Court, General Term, remarks were made by Mr. Jas. T. Brady, Joseph Blunt, the District-Atterney, and Judge Davies; and in the Superior Court by Mr. B. W. Bonney, Rithard Busteed, and Judge Pierrepont, and the Courts adjourced.

OFFEA IN BROOKLYS TO-NIGHT.—The opera of "The Barber of Seville," is to be performed at the Athensum; Madame Laborde, Signors Maggiorochi, Florenza, Lorini, Ac., appearing in the opera.

CLIMATE: ITS IMPRESSIONS OF CIVILIZATION.—The Rev. R. S. Storrs, jr., D. D., lectures on this subject before the Yeung Men's Christian Association this evening, at the Cooper Institute. Such a subject in such hands cannot fail to be interesting.

A CLERGYMAN SUING FOR HIS SALARY.—In the Kings County Circuit Court yesterday, an action brought by the Rev. David J. Patterson against the First Reformed Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, for belavore drive on a plany was tried. It appeared that

Mr. Hall understood that the Attorney-General and

Mr. Ma. Keen were to try it.

Mr. Blunt denied this; he proposed to try the matter in person. He thought no District-Attorney ought to throw the responsibility upon other counsel.

Judge Mullen thought the case could not, with propriety, be postponed till December, as the Cancemicase was set down for that time. The case must go on

next week, at furthest.

Mr. Hall suggested Friday next.

Mr. Blunt. - Friday will be too late.

Judge Mulien decided to postpone the case to Thursday of next week. The Judge farther remarked that day of east week. The Judge further remarked that counsel had a right to argue the preliminary questions as to the manner of finding the indictment and juristiction. In regard to the Grand Jury he had a decided impression, but he suggested that that, with the ques-tion of jurisdiction, go to the General Term with his

Mr. Hall, after consulting with his associates, said ey acquiseced in the suggestion.

Mr. Graham.—The question of jurisdiction rises upon the plea of not guilty, and the other point we will consider your Honor as ruling against us.

### SUPREME COURT-GENERAL TERM-Nov. 24.-Before

Judges Bayers, Sutherman and Housenoom.

THE LAW OF PILOTAGE.

Peter Francisco, Appelant, agt. The People of the State of New York, Respondents.

The appellant was instituted in the General Sessions, and convicted of a misdemeaner in violating the provisions of chap, 69, Laws of 1947, relating to the Hell-Gate pilots.

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That act provides that prover present to act as midst for the chap, 69, Lawe of 1847, relating to the Hell-Gate pilots.

That act prevides that there shall be appointed by the Governor and Senate fit and proper persons to act as pilots for the sate pilots or vessels through the channel of the Rast River, commonly called Hell Gate. The act provides for compensation for such services and also provides that any pilot who shall first tende his services to any vessel passing through the Gate, and whose services shall not be accepted, shall be entitled to demand and receive half pilotage.

The act further provides that if any person other than a Hell-Gate pilot shall pilot for any other person say vessel of any description through the channel of the East River, commonly called Hell Gate help that firstly and pay the sum of \$30 for such efficies or an our intim thereof shall be deemed guilty of a mix demeator, and shall be punished as such and the set also declares that it shall not be construed as applying to standards.

demeanar, and shall be punished as such, and the act also de-clares that it shall not be construed a applying to steamboats. The defendant was the pilot of the steamboats of the steamboats which was used as such in the harbor of New York; on the 7th of May, 1853, the two schooners called the George and Humaning Blow were lasted to the steambus Minturn, one on each side, and this taken through field Gate by the defendant, he be-ng on the steamboat and piloting it and making simula to those in hears the schooner to change their helms to conform to the novements of the steamer.

It is convended that the piloting of the steamer was no offense, noter the act, for it is expressly excepted from its provisions, but it is innated on the part of the People that the act of taking he two schooners through the channel in the manner stated was a next of pilotage within the meaning of the zer, and which it has saide an act of pilotage within the meaning of the zer, and which it has nade an address.

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John McKeon, for the People. D. McMahon, for the defend-

made an offense.

John NcKeor for the People. D. McMahon, for the defendant.

Davies, P. J.—The duties of the pilots suthorized by the set to be appointed and to set as pilots for the safe pilotage of vessels through the channel commonly called Hell Gate are prescribed by law and any person text such pilot, who shall pilot any vessel is made subject to the penalties of the set. Bouvier's Law Dict, vol. 2, p. 357, defines a pilot to be, first, an officer serving on board of a sitip during the course of a voyage, and having the charge of the below and of the ship's route, and secondly, an officer authorized by law who is taken on board at a particular place for the purpose of conducting a hip through a river, road or channel, as from or into a port.

This definition would seem to carry the idea that the pilot is to be on board the ship which he is conducting through a river or channel. Could he be and to be a pilot unless on board the ship which he is conducting through a river or channel. Could he be add to be a pilot in the legal sense a pilot unless on board the ship which he is conducting through the channel of the stream and by words or signs controlled and directed the course of the vessel by signals, or ran along the banks of the stream and by words or signs controlled and directed the course of the vessel by signals, or transitude while on board of it. The defendant was conducting the stream by the pilot on board of it. The defendant was conducting the vessel while on board of it. The defendant was conducting the vessel while on board of it. The defendant was conducting the vessel while to the steamer. It is true the person on the schooners had to bey stand six diver, as he lawfully unight do. The two schoeners which it is claimed by piloted were lashed to the steamboat, and must necessarily own its every motion. As a consequence, they were piloted through the channel, and so they would have been if placed on the doct of the steamer. It is true the person on the schooners had to obey and did obey such ast

will be seen that the language of this statute is more com-

Alarm of Firs.—There was an alarm of fire in the citib District yesterials afternoon, which was caused by the terring of a chimney in Einstein as, the November Term of this Court was enceited yesterday. Beaucon Johnson, expedience, amounted of the pilot and the property of the Salay within the meaning of the pilot act. We are of the Gold was enceiteded yesterday. Reason Johnson, expedience, amounted of amonth and better to the pilot act that is, they mean the taking the charge and direction as a pilot wide in the Court then advanted must the was committed to lay a fine of \$25. In decicult he was committed to lay a fine of \$25. In decicult he was committed to lay a fine of \$25. In decicult he was committed to lay a fine of \$25. In decicult he was committed to lay a fine of the Y. N. Tribuae.

Correction.

To the Editor of The Y. N. Tribuae.

Sign: It is but sheer justice to Messrs. Lee & I.A. Test, who have recently exhibited their element of the court is not precided from employing any moving power which he liabs to the penalty in the Poth section.

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But the master is not precided from employing any moving power which the penalty in the will be accounted to the moving power which and all others and connect of the cased in that course, the company who came to thus city be readily the require and help to drive out the precided to the salar the contract of the cased in the moving power to be to coltain the section of the court of the cased in the moving power to be to obtain the section of the while the meaning of the solution of the court of the vessel in that course, the conduct and characteristic of the will be a solution of the court of the cased in the moving power, the person as a policy and an advantage of the court of

orred.

Twas assumed on the trul of the defendant that he was ened in the business of towage. If not, the lifth and right reets of the defendant to the Judge raised the question, and
eight the case within that in the English Exchequer. The
increases was that if the Judy believed that the act does by
defendant on this occasion was of towage only, the defendant on this occasion was of towage only, the

o amend answer granted, on payment of #10 costs.

Benjamin Haxton et al. sgt. William Haxton et al.—Motion

Margaret S. McNair agt. The Mayor, &c. Marant S. McNar ant. The Mayor, &c.

The plantiff resided in Finiadelphia in the Summer of 1854. In company with a party of friends, she started for Saratoga early in Angost of that year. On arriving at New-York she put up at the St. Nicholas Hotel. One morning in the early part of said meath, she went in the coach of the St. Nicholas to the Spring street pier, No. 43, to take staamer up the river. The criver left some of his passengers at a beat on one side of the pier, and, in turning around to go to the other boat, one of the hear wheels of the vehicle broke through one of the

The case of John Hamilton, who is charged with receiving letters embershed by Henry Reed, a hight clerk in the
Post Office, came on for examination to day. Ex Judge Boobs
appeared for the defendant. The examination is still on.
Before Mr. Richard E. Stillwell.

Before Mr. RICHARD E. STILWELL.

ATTEMPTING TO FASS COUNTERFEIT COIN.

Frank Finner was brought up and examined on a chars of attempting to pass a constretel gold dollar on a woman named klash Mark. In Assume A. I. appeared that he tendered the rom in payment for some article he had purchased, and that she discovered it was had and told him of it. He then offered her a \$1 bill, which she also refused, saying that it was bad. She seed after an officer and had Fenner arrested. There being no preset that debradant attempted to pass the money knowing it to be counterfely, he was discharged.

Before Mr. JOSEPH BARDGRAM.

Edward Edwards, Amelia Edwards and Samuel James, the parties who were recontly arrested in Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, for making counterfelt coin, were exactleed before Commissioner Bridgelians, who committed them for trial.

THE GRANGE COUNTY CUNTERPRITING CASE,
Martin Shears, charged with making counterfeit,
money, and who was arrested a few days ago in Walden, Orange
County, was committed for trial. COURT CALENDAR-Tuis DAY.
SUFREME COURT-GENERAL TERM, -Adjourned to

SUPREME COURT-CIRCUIT-Both parts adjourned Superior Court.-Nos. 492, 493, 100, 147, 616,

BROOKEYN CITT COURT.—Nos. 33, 59, 29, 39, 45, Souri 6s, 99, &c.

# MARRIED.

Mr. Blunt.—Friday will be too late.
Mr. Graham.—Friday is hangman's day, Friday is always selected by the executioners, Mr. Blunt.
Mr. Hall understood the District-Attorney that it would be a short case, but if Friday would not do, he suggested Thursday.

Judge Mullen decided to postpone the case to Thursday.

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Louiss Watson, of Toronic,
LILLY-LOCKWOOD-On Tuesday, Nov. 23, at Greenpoint,
by the Rev. Mr. Tsimage, Mr. John Lilly, of Lafayette, Ind.,
to Hattie, daughter of T. J. Lockwood, of Greenpoint.
McCLELLAND-ARMSTRONG-At the Associate Reformed
Presbyterian Church in Brooklyn, on Wednesday evening,
Nov. 17, in the presence of a large suffence, by the Rev. Aleaander Cherents, assisted by the Rev. John Brush, the Rev.
Adam McCleiband, pastor of said church, to Miss Mary Arm-

# strong. TAPPAN-PIERSON-In Emoklyn, on Tuesday, Nov. 23, by the Rev. Dr. Bethane, Mr. J. Nelson Tappan to Mary Pierson, daughter of the late Harvey Spencer.

### DIED.

ANDERSON—On Monday avening, Nov. 22, of disease of the heart, Cornellia V. Anderson, President of the Lorillard Fire Insurance Company, aged 48 years, 7 months and 12 days. The relatives and friends of the family, also those of his brother James S. Anderson, and his brothers in law Jefferson Berrian and John A. Harriott, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral on this Thursday, at 12 o'clock m., from the Central Methodist Gaurch in Seventh avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth stretts, without further invitation.

BUTLER—At Paris, on Monday, Nov. 8, Hon. Benjamin F. Buller, of the Grey of New York, in the 615 year of his age.

BISHOP—Margaret L. Bishop departed this 16s. 25 minutes past 10 o'clock, Wednesday forenoon, 24th of 11th month. The funeral with be at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Friday, at 104 First street. All her friends are invited.

BLACKSTOCK—At No. 47 Canal street, on Monday, Nov. 23.

BLACKSTOCK—At No. 47 Caral street, on Monday, Nov. 22, Ann Catharine, daughter of John J. and Mary Blackstock, aged 25 years, 7 mounts and 9 days. FARRELL—In this city, on Tuesday, Nov. 23, John Farrell, in

FINCH-At No. 200 West Forty-third street, on Monday Nov. 22, Henry Borlew, son of Joseph and Marion Finch, aged 6 FINCH—A: No. 28 West, rotty-min terre, on Marion Finch, aged 6 22, Henry Borlew, son of Joseph and Marion Finch, aged 6 years, 3 months and 9 days.

FAGAN—At No. 31 Smeriif strest, on Monday, Nov. 22, after a short sickness, Mrs. Mary Fagan, wife of Patrick Fagan, a mathre of the Parish of Abovy, County Longford, Ireland.

GORDEN-In this city, or Tuesday, Nov. 25, Michael Gorden, son of Michael and Martha Gorden, aged 5 years and 8 days. GALBRAITH-In this city, on Monday evening, Nov. 22, after a lingering allows, Irabella Galbraith, youngest daughter of the late James and Elizabeth Galbraith, in the 19th year of HEADON-On Monday, evening, Nov. 22, at No. 133 Eighth avenue, Mas Mary Anne Headon, a mative of Dublin, freisind,

avenue. Mass Mary Anne Headen, a mative of Dublin, Ireland, and during the last fifty years a resident of this city.

JORDAN - At No. 335 West Forty-sight street, on Thesday morning, Nov. 25, Michael, only son of Michael and Martha Jordan, aged 5 years and eight days.

LEWIS--In Brooking, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 24, of typhod fever, Chatles Warfing, only son of Charles D. Lewis, aged 5 years and 7 munths.

Notice of funeral will be given in to-morrow's papers.

LIBREY-In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Nov. 21, James Libbey,

aged 66 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the fineral on Friday afternoon at 2 o'cloca, in Oxford street, first house north of Fution avenue.

LAING—A: Kinderhook, on Sunday, Nov. 21, in the 76th year of his age. Edgar Laing, formerly a merchant of this city.

LOINES-In Davenport, Iowa, on Thursday, Nov. 18, of con-sumption, in the Sith year of his age, Robert L. Loines, forsomption, in the Son year or menly of this city. Sue notice of the interment at Brooklyn will be given. NEWTON-At his residence, in this city, on Tuesday morning, Nov. 23, Isaac Newton, in the 50th year of his age. His french are levited to artend his funeral from the Oliver-street Baptist Church, on Thursday next, at 12 o'clock, with-cut father notice. A short service will take place at the boass, No. 29 Market street, at 11 o'clock, to which the reis-

tives are invised.

RENYON—At his late residence, No. 41 Woodbuilt street,
Broklyn, Varuum S. Kinyon, jr. Britalya, Varuum S. Kinyon, jr.
SPALDING—At Yonker, N. V., on Monday, Nov. 22, George
Spaling, seq. in the 62d year of his age.
His remains were taken to Norwich, Conn., for interment.

SWAIN-On Torsday, Nov. 23, William S., son of Edward H. and Charlotte G. Swain, and Il years. and Charlotte G. Swain, aced H years.

Foneral on Friday, 28th limit, at 1 o'clock, from the residence of his parents. Clymer street, second door from Lee areans.

VAN NOSTRAND—At Mount Morris, Harlem, on Wednesday, Nov. 24, Emma W., daughter of Stephen and May E. Van Nestrand, ared I year, 2 months and 21 days.

Her tennals will be taken to Jamaica, L. L. for interment, on Thursday, Nov. 25, at 10 o'clock a. m. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the family in London and at the Paris Bourse. These items are rather favorable in their bearing npon our own stock market.

The following letter from Mr. Farnam, President of the Rock Island Railroad Company, is an anawer to certain quistions propounded to him by gentlemen of this city:

## COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

The result of operations of the Stock Board to-day,

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 25-P. M.

was a decline of from 1 m 2 cent on most of the loading shares, the bears offerfort stock freely at the option of the seller; while operators on the other side seemed disposed to allow the market to rest for the day on its own strength. The most prominent characteristic is nonsual dullness, and there is evidently a lack of outside interest in the movements, but at the same time there are indications of firmness and resisting power in the undertone of the market, which not only makes it appear hazardous to venture extensive short sales at the figures new raling, but which promises to be a very good foundation for a fair recovery in market values, as soon as influential operators on the bull side choose to take advantage of the fact. The meager returns of Western railways continue to formsh arguments against an advance, but fail to make more than a temporary impression, as against the quotations which have been established, stockholders having looked at this discouraging feature in its most unfavorable light already, and regarding the results simply as a confirmation of what had been anticipated. Poor as the traffic reports undoubtedly are, it is probably an error to look for the continuance of so large a ratio of decline during the whole Wister. The months of December, January and February last were those in which the full force of the revulsion of last Autumn were experienced, and it is not probable that the comparison presently to be unde will show such deficiencies as have been noticed in October and thus far in November. When the country fairly begins to recover from its prostration, and the tide of business tures, the increase of railway earnings must be as striking as the decline way earnings must be as striking as the decline is now, and it is noter all but a question of time dended, with \$10 costs.

year 2 val Zaidt art. Jared Limsey et al.—Additional want of \$50. former condition of prosperity. Transactions at the First Board to-day were not large in any particular stock, and there was a decided lack of vitality in the business. New-York Central declined to 831 on the call, but was one of the steadlest stocks on the list. Erie had no activity, but was also a little lower. Reading had much less prominence than usual, the sales embracing but 900 shares, and the quotation closing at 52, with a fair degree of steadiness. The Western shares were generally heavy. Illinois Coutrai was an exception, however, the cash stock advancing to 80, notwithstanding the free offerings of seller's option contracts at pretty large differences. Private advices by the City of Baltimore, stated that the Committee, Messrs. Wheeler and Smith, had not yet made their report, but would de so in the following week, and it is believed that the investigations of these gentlemen will make a favorable impression upon the English shareholders. The discharge of the assignment had a good effect, and the market had begun to sympathize with the advance here. Rock Island was quite firm, partly in consequence of the letter of the President (which we annex), in answer to certain inquires. It appears from this that some of the statements re-U. S. COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE-Nov. 24-Before Mr. Kraseth G. White. cently made so confidently in regard to "bogus" assets and bridge "injunctions" are entirely destitute of foundation. Galens was rather heavy at quotations, and touched 721 on the call, but the supply of cash stocks was not large. Toledo had a fair degree of activity at a decline of | P cent. Michigan Central fell off to 521 in opening sales, but became firmer on the call and was in fair demand at 525 in closing transactions. The January statement, we understand, will show the road entirely clear of floating debt, and provided for all the short bonds up to 1860. Michigan Southern was dull at a slight decline, but tolerably steady. There was some move-THE EROOKLYN COUNTERFEITERS COMMITTED FOR ment in Cumberland Preferred at 231, but the stock has as yet but little speculative activity. The present managers seem to be in earnest in their endeavors to bring the concern into a good position, and express great confidence of success. At the Second Board stocks were a trifle lower, and the whole market appeared tame and dull. The closing prices were for New-York Central, 831 to 831; Erie, 171 20174; Galena, 724 5724; Rock Island, 624 2624; Michigan Contral, 529 @ 524: Michigan Southern, 214 @ 22: Preferred. 511 w511; Harlom, 124 w121; Preferred, 31 w314; Reading, 512 = 51; Pacific Mail, 104 = 104]; Panama, 1214@1214; Illinois Central, 794@794; Hudson River, 331 \*34; Milwaukee and Mississippi, 12 2121; Mis-Foreign Exchange closed stendy at 109 #1094 for

banker's signatures on London, and 1081 to 109 for

HAMMOND-WATSON-On Saturday, Nov. 20, by the Rev.
Mr. Johnston, Mr. Joseph Hammond, of Brooklyn, to Anna
See hetter. To Livermond, 1001-alor College. To London; 200 tes. Beef at 4s, 6d.; 500 bags Clover Seed at 22s. 6d. Ship John Stewart from Mobile to Liverpool, with Cotton, at 5-8d. A brig from Tarks Island to New-York, with Salt, at Sc.

The business of the Clearing-House to-day wa \$19,855,059 51.

S. Draper's daily auction sale of stocks and bonds will take place to-morrow (Thursday), at 124 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange.

Albert H. Nicolay's regular daily auction sale of stocks and bonds will take place to morrow (Thursday), at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange. The late Baltimore agents of the Cumberland City

(Md.) Bank inform Messrs. Thompson Brothers by tolegraph that they have ceased to redeem its issues. The earnings of the Terre Haute, Alton and St. Louis

Road for the second week of November were: 

The first car load of wheat direct from Chicago, by

way of the Chicago, Fort Wayne, Pittsburgh and Pennsylvania Railroad, reached Philadelphia yester-The Lebizh Coal and Navigation Company has de-

clared a dividend of 3 V cent, payable December 3. Since the publication of the Bank returns for the past week, the money market has been very inactive in point of business in the open market, and rates are without essential variation. There seems to be little if any prospect of a revival of discount figures much above the quotations now ruling during the Winter, however much such a result may be desired as an indication of returning life in business circles. Thus far in our present experience, with an unprecedented money plethora, the times have been woderfully exempt from those wild and impressible speculations which usually distinguish such periods of financial abundance. Spasms of the kind we have had occasionally in Stocks and merchandise, but nothing which indicated a real fever. If such mischievous movements can be avoided, which is almost too much to expect, and the commercial world be made to resume its former activity and tone, without these morbid and excitable preliminary steps, it will be all the better for the business community. The latest advices from Europe indicate a relapse from the slight money activity previously reported. Exchange is turning in favor of England, and the drain of bullion has probably ceased. We may presently, from this circumstance, expect an increase in the buillon coffers of the Bank of England, and lower rates for money at the Stock Exchange, There were symptoms, also, of greater speculative

activity in London and at the Paris Bourse. These

WHEKLER-A: No. 154 White effect, on Monday evening.
Which a Reps. p. 50, was an action to recover a penalty inNo. 22, Mrs. Esther Wheeler, in the 67th year of ner hismirror under this statute, for doing an act like that for which the
foreign in this case has been convicted of a mislaneous.

Baron Parke, in delivering the opinion of the Court says; "The

Of course place in this case has been convicted of a mislaneous."

By the saje of Peorla and Bureau Valley bonds, and more than